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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/854,721
Applicant : Kevin ROWNEY
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, issued by the Examiner in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office is due November 28, 2006. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed. Please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.